GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA
ABSTRACT

REGULATION OF TRADE IN ABNUS LEAVES (RTAL) – Constitution of Advisory Committee for the Beedi Leaf Season 2026 – Notification - Orders – Issued.

ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS, SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY (For.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 125 Dated: 05-12-2025

Read:

From the PCCF (HoFF), Telangana, Hyderabad, Rc.No.600/2025/ M1(STC), dt:06.10.2025.

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ORDER:

The appended Notification shall be published in an Extra-ordinary issue of the Telangana Gazette, Dated.12.12.2025.

2. In exercise of the powers conferred under section 6 of the Telangana Minor Forest Produce (Regulation of Trade) Act 1971 (Act No.4 of 1971), the Government hereby constitute the Advisory Committee for the purpose of advising the Government in fixation of purchase rate of Abnus Leaves (Beedi leaf), during the Beedi Leaf Season, 2026.

3. The Advisory Committee so constituted shall offer its recommendations to the Government regarding the rates at which Beedi Leaves have to be purchased from the growers; and the collection charges that have to be paid to the labour for the collection of Beedi Leaf from the Forest areas and other Government lands, during 2026 Beedi Leaf Season.

4. The tenure of the above Committee shall be up to 30th June, 2026. The Non-Official Members of the Advisory Committee are entitled for first class travel by train for the purpose of drawl of Travelling Allowance. The Chief Conservator of Forests (Prod.), O/o the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Telangana, Hyderabad shall be the Chairman and Convener of the Advisory Committee and the controlling authority for the purpose of countersigning the Traveling Allowance Bills of the non-official members.

5. The expenditure on Traveling Allowance and Daily Allowance shall be debited to the Head of Account "8443-Civil Deposit, 109-Forest Deposit Beedi Leaf Scheme".

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF TELANGANA)

AHMAD NADEEM
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Commissioner, Printing, Stationery & Stores Purchase (Plg.Wing), Telangana, Hyderabad. (He is requested to publish the appended Notification in the Extra-ordinary Gazette and supply 50 copies to the PCCF, Telangana, Hyderabad).
The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Telangana, Hyderabad.
The Vice Chairman & Managing Director, Telangana, Forest Development Corporation Ltd., Hyderabad.

Copy to:
The Accountant General, Telangana, Hyderabad.
The Pay & Accounts Officer, Hyderabad.
The District Treasury Officers of all the 31 Districts in Telangana.
All the Members (through the Prl.CCF, Telangana, Hyderabad).
The Finance (DCM) Dept.
The Law (F) Department.
SC/SF.

//FORWARDED:: BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred under section 6 of the Telangana Minor Forest Produce (Regulation of Trade) Act, 1971 (Act No.4 of 1971), Government of Telangana hereby constitute an Advisory Committee consisting of the following (6) members for the Beedi Leaf Season, 2026, for all the Forest Divisions of Telangana:-

A)	**Official Representatives**	**Category**
	1) Chief Conservator of Forests (Prod.,), O/o Prl. CCF (HoFF), TG, Hyd., as nominated by Prl. Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Telangana, Hyderabad.	Chairman of the Advisory Committee
	2) DCF/Conservator of Forests, State Trading Circle, Hyderabad.	Convener
	3)Representative of Secretary Finance & Planning (F.W.Exp.) Dept.,	Member
B)	**Representatives of Registered Growers**	
	Four (4) Members to be nominated from Registered Growers. **(No registered growers in the State)**	(NIL)
C)	**Representatives of Registered Traders/Manufacturers**	
	1)General Manager (Operations), T.G. Forest Development Corporation Limited, Hyderabad.	Member
	2) Sri M.Z.Mannan, S/o. Mohammed Zainuddin H.No.14-8-52, Charbouli,Warangal-506002. Mobile No.9440723386.	Member
D)	**Representative of Beedi Leaf Collection Labour**	
	Chintha Nageswara Rao S/o Pullaiah Barlagudem Village, Tekulapally Mandal, Bhadradri Kothagudem District, Pincode 507123, Mobile No.6300462715	Member

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